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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO EUROPE

REF: LONDON 6643

FROM TIM SMITH TO MIKE CONLIN

1. FOR SECURITY REASONS, USSS VERY STRONGLY PREFERS THE
USE OF A FULLY ARMoured SEDAN BY PRESIDENT AND PRIME
MINISTER FOR THE NORTHEASTERN TOUR.

2. WE UNDERSTAND ABOVE IS ACCEPTABLE TO PRIME MINISTER
ON GROUNDS OF US SECURITY CONCERNS. SUGGEST EMBASSY
CONFIRM ABOVE WITH APPROPRIATE HMG OFFICIALS, WITH OUR
APPRECIATION FOR THEIR COOPERATION.

3. FYI - THE CAR IS A 1974 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER, BLACK
SEDAN (NOT A PRESIDENTIAL LIMOUSINE), WHICH WOULD HAVE
BRITISH LICENSE PLATES MOUNTED ON IT.

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4. WITH REFERENCE TO GIFTS, WHITE HOUSE WOULD PREFER
NO EXCHANGE OF GIFTS. DOBELLE HAS BEEN ADVISED AND
CONCURS. PRESIDENT WILL PRESENT A GIFT OF RELATIVELY
MODEST VALUE TO WASHINGTON OLD HALL.

5. DOBELLE ALSO ADVISES THAT WE WOULD ALSO PROVIDE

AUTOGRAPHED PICTURES TO OTHER SUMMIT, NATO AND BILATERAL
PARTICIPANTS. DOBELLE WILL HANDLE GIFTS.
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